

## **Public Release – August 2024**

**The Industry Association of Building and Property Inspectors in WA Inc – Inspect WA is pleased to announce the development of a formal relationship with The Australian Society of Building Consultants (NSW Chapter).**

There were several key issues that contributed to the development of this relationship:

- 1.1 Inspect WA has always wanted to grow and development quality building inspections and inspections in WA.
- 1.2 Inspect WA believes it is important that it not only develop the building inspection industry in WA, but also see to develop professional relationships with quality Building Inspector in Association across Australia

## **2 Announcement**

- 2.1 Insect WA Committee is please to advise that it has now formally entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with The Australian Society of Building Consultants (NSW Chapter).

## **3 Background**

Both Associations have common goals:

- 3.1 To be an acknowledged Association for quality, qualified and experienced Building Inspectors and Consultants which aims to improve the quality and standing of building inspectors and consultants in Australia.
- 3.2 To drive the development of the building inspection and building consultant industry so that the industry is acknowledged as a profession.
- 3.3 To ensure that the work undertaken by the members of each Association is of a quality and professional standing.
- 3.4 To be a resource for potential clients who are looking for quality building inspectors/consultants in each of the Associations respective markets, or nationally.
- 3.5 To provide public position statements on key national issues impacting the building inspection and consultancy profession. Prior to the release of any national issue statement both parties must agree to its release. However either party may issue a public statement under their name that relates to their state jurisdiction.

## **4 Shared Strategic Beliefs**

Both Associations believe:

- 4.1 That there is merit in working together to achieve strategic objectives.
- 4.2 There is merit and promoting the two Associations working collaboratively in developing the industry on an Australia wide basis.
- 4.3 Both Associations see the strategic merits in developing a national body in the years to come. How and in what form this takes needs to be developed.

## **5 3. Three Year Goals**

Both Associations have agreed to:

- 5.1 Publicly acknowledge the development of a working relationship between the two Associations.
- 5.2 Look to align the professional standards for membership of each Association.
- 5.3 Look to align professional standards on key building inspection issues.
- 5.4 Resolve to explore an ongoing strategic alignment such that both organisations will look to benefit from the resources, skills and capabilities that will enhance the collective members of both Associations.
- 5.5 The Association will establish a joint committee to meet each quarter to ensure

## **Both Associations are now working on collective glass for the coming 12 months.**

The Inspect WA Committee believes that this is an extremely valuable development for Inspect WA Members and Our Association as we aim to join forces with a quality and substantial Building Inspection Association in NSW.

Find out more about The Australian Society of Building Consultants (NSW Chapter) [here](#)

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